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AGAIN MADE PRESIDENT.

W. F. Kellogg Chosen the Second time by Wis. Lumber Assn.

The Mississippi Valley Lumberman of last week had a detailed writeup of the fourteenth annual convention of the Wisconsin Retail Lumber Dealers association, held in Milwaukee on the 23rd, 24th and 25th of February.

Wm. F. Kellogg of this city has been the president of the association during the past year, and he was again elected at the meeting held last week to the office for the coming year. There were about sixty members of the association in attendance at the Milwaukee meeting, and according to the accounts it was an instructive and beneficial gathering. The meeting was opened by a speech by Mr. Kellogg, and this was published in full by the Lumberman, and in commenting on the talk that journal said: "Mr. Kellogg's address was a masterpiece of association literature, containing much good advice to members and urging them to support their officers in association work. The hearty round of applause at its conclusion showed how it was appreciated."

The paper also contains a fine half-tone portrait of Mr. Kellogg.

Teachers' Examinations.

The following circular has been issued by County Superintendent Morris, and concerns teachers' examinations which will be held in the near future. The dates are as follows:

Pittsville, March 17, 18 and 19.
Marshfield, March 21, 22 and 23.
Grand Rapids, March 24, 25 and 26.
Conditions for reading: Standings must be 80 or above. Not more than five standings may be read. No standing will be refilled that has been refilled at a previous examination.

The examination at Pittsville begins at 10:30 a. m. the first day, the one at Marshfield begins at 1:00 p. m. the first day and the one at Grand Rapids begins at 9:30 a. m. the first day.
Robert Morris, Co. Supt.

Pittsville Times Again Sold.

An item in the Pittsville Times states that the paper has been again purchased by P. B. Pitts, the former owner, who has run the paper for the past two years.

An item in the paper also reads as follows: "P. B. Pitts is out at work again after his mixup with his gasoline engine. The loss of two or three teeth will be the only difficulty."

Running a newspaper must be a strenuous life over in Pittsville.

Cole Wins the Match.

The wrestling match last Friday evening between Glen Cole and Philip Fields resulted in a victory for Cole, who threw his man two out of three times. Cole won the first fall, Fields the second; and Cole the third. The match was witnessed by a good crowd of those who enjoy this sport, and all seemed well satisfied with the exhibition that was given.

St. John's Church.

Fr. Corbett closed his ministry at St. John's church last Sunday. He has recently been appointed General Parish Missioner of the church, and has received an invitation to begin a mission in Michigan. He remains here, however for some time yet to complete his plans for the location of his family.

Cure a Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Broom Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

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Boys Making Good Progress in Manual Training.

On Monday a reporter for the Tribune visited the manual training department of the Lincoln high school, and the boys at their work there was a very pleasing sight.

The seventh grade from the Howe building were having their turn at instruction, and the industry displayed by the boys was a sight that impressed one very strongly with the idea that they were getting a real deal of good out of their manual training. It was calculated that the measure of the fact that the boys were taking as kindly, on the whole, to learning as do girls. On account of this fact many of the boy students are to a certain extent bored by the routine of regular school life. As soon as this condition once develops, it is very hard to get them out of the rut of shirking every task that is set for them, and unless they are fortunate enough to fall to the lot of one of those exceptional teachers who are able to excite their interest in matters pertaining to school life, the consequence is that the time put in on their education is practically wasted.

It does not always follow that a boy who dislikes to study is either dull or lazy. He may simply lack all love or interest in the subjects which his teachers are daily attempting to force into his understanding, generally without success. A boy with a love for mechanics and everything mechanical may not care in the least whether it was Christopher Columbus or Henry Ward Beecher that discovered America, and he may not be able to remember for two minutes the difference between a participle and an adjective, and at the same time he may know more about the steam engine that is operating the mill near his house than his teacher would ever know if he lived a thousand years and put in all of his time attempting to learn about it. The fact is that the boy has learned by observation what the teacher has not acquired by years of study, even though the teacher has made it a point to inform himself on the subject, while the boy has been only a casual observer.

It is many of this class of boys who take kindly to manual training. Every one may not have the deftness of hand that goes to make up the good workman, while others display ability in this direction that is truly amazing. The advantages of manual training are not recognized by many. They do not realize that a love for mechanics is one of the most precious gifts with which man is endowed. They do not realize that a man who is totally devoid of this gift is a mighty poor stick upon the face of the earth if he has to earn his living by the sweat of his brow. There is no trade and very few professions where a knowledge and love for mechanics does not make a better man of the possessor, and the manual training department of a school is for the purpose of developing this gift in the boy.

At the Lincoln school on Monday every bench in the room was occupied by a youngster who was busily engaged in fashioning something out of wood, and the specimens of the handiwork of the boys on exhibition shows that many of them are quite expert, and that they are being instructed in just the line where they should be.

Of course it is not the intention, as many imagine, to make a carpenter of every boy who cares to take a course in manual training, still, as one sees the work turned out by many of the carpenters, he cannot help feeling that every carpenter should be compelled to take a course in manual training.

Dear Madam.

We are going to have on sale one day only the complete and extensive line of Ladies' Misses' and Children's Cloaks, Silk Coats, Rain Coats, Suits, Skirts, Shirt Waists and Shirt Waist Suits. We ask that you favor us with your presence on Tuesday, the 8th day of March. Do not forget the date, as this is absolutely the most comprehensive and complete line ever shown in this country. Yours anxious to please.

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Foley's Kidney Cure makes the kidneys and bladder right. Contains nothing injurious. Johnson & Hill Co.

STATE CAPITAL TO BE MOVED

It is the intention to have it Brought to Grand Rapids.

At the meeting of the city council last night Mayor Wheelan appointed a committee to act with our Senator and Assemblyman for the purpose of having the state capital removed to this city.

It is hardly necessary to enumerate all of the advantages that there would be in having the capital located in Grand Rapids, as every small boy in this locality knows them by heart.

We have the location, which is one of the most central in the state. We have the best railroad facilities, having more railroads than any other city in the state, with prospects for several more. We have lots of water, being situated on one of the prettiest streams in the state, and the fluid is good to wash in and drink also, which is quite an item in itself. Of course we have no brewery, but there is no doubt but what with the increased demand that would be created by the location of the capital here, that one would soon be established, and that it would be one of our most paying institutions.

Some of our citizens have raised objections to having the capital removed to this city, claiming that the presence of the legislators in the city would contaminate the better class of our people, corrupt their morals, so to speak, but then this is only a surmise. Of course we would not have to associate with the lawmakers if we did not want to, and it is possible that if we did condescend to associate with them it would raise their standard of morality very considerably. This latter is a matter that should be considered very seriously by the authorities when they make up their mind to move.

Of course, it is barely possible that the new capital building may not be built here, but if the powers that be are onto their job there will not be much hesitation in the matter.

Entre Nous Entertainment.

The ladies of the Entre Nous club entertained about twenty five of their gentlemen friends at Nutwick's hall on Monday evening, February 29th. Each lady present represented the title of a book and the gentlemen were expected to display their familiarity with literature by guessing what book she represented.

After the library contest the guests engaged in progressive games, each table being provided with a different game. Refreshments were served, after which the momentous question, "Should Women Propose," was debated by Dr. Kyes and Mr. Falch on the affirmative, Oscar Baudelin and Dr. Smith taking the negative. The Judges, Mrs. J. W. Nutwick, Miss McGrath and Mr. Paetow, brought in a verdict for the affirmative, but as several of the gentlemen present did not seem satisfied with the decision, the discussion was continued for some time.

W. J. Conway was invited to give his views on whether the capital should be removed from Madison to Grand Rapids, but considered the subject under discussion of too much importance to be so summarily dealt with.

Lambert's orchestra furnished several choice selections which were greatly enjoyed. The evening closed with a toast to the gentlemen and a vote of thanks to the ladies of the club.

"A Montana Outlaw."

"A Montana Outlaw" comes to the Grand Opera House Friday, March 4th. This play of Western life has been given a complete production by Warner & Altman and has a cast of much merit. Wesley Le Grand, a ranchman, is made to appear the murderer of one Jude Stacy, and is forced to flee for his life. "Jack the Buster," a cowboy who loves Irene Le Grand, the ranchman's daughter, devotes his life to the rescue of her father. He hides Le Grand in the Rocky Mountain Hotel at Kootenai City, but the ranchman is captured by one Manuel Barka and his gang and is strung up to die. With a shot from his rifle the cowboy severs the rope, and, holding the gang at bay, allows Le Grand to escape. This is only one of the many thrilling climaxes of the play. The play abounds in heat interest and good clean comedy, many strong specialties being introduced by members of the company, a number of whom were recruited from vaudeville and musical shows.

N. B. March 2d is the date. Don't buy maslin underwear until then. That is the date of the big sale at Heineman's.

WILL BUILD A NEW LINE.

Marsh Residents to put in Two Metallic Circuits.

There was a meeting held in this city last Wednesday afternoon by the men who are located on the marsh line, as the system is known that runs out on the marsh to the cranberry growers. At the meeting it was decided to build an entirely new line out that way, making two metallic circuits. As there are sixteen parties who wish to be supplied with telephones, this will make eight phones on each circuit. The lines will be built of number 12 iron wire, and while this is not very heavy for the distance to be covered, it will undoubtedly give a much better service than the people out that way have heretofore enjoyed.

Heretofore the line running out that way has been a grounded circuit, and as it generally needed repairs, and had badly run down, there were many times when it was in such poor shape that it was almost impossible to hold a conversation over it. This condition of affairs could not be blamed onto anyone in particular, as the trouble was caused by the natural course of decay, and to have put the line in good working order would have been equivalent to a complete rebuilding of the line.

It is the intention to begin on the new line as soon as possible. Manager Starks of the Wood County Telephone company will go over the route as soon as feasible, when an estimate of the necessary material needed can be made. Nothing in the way of setting poles can be done profitably until the frost is out of the ground, so it is probable that no actual work will be done on the line for some little time yet.

As the line now exists there are ten subscribers on it, so it can be seen that the new line, being metallic in construction, and containing only eight phones, should give a much better service. The new company will be given connections with the lines of the Wood County Telephone company without cost to the subscribers on the marsh line, as it is considered that the line is of as much benefit to the people in the city as it is to the people on the marsh.

At Rest.

Ho is dead; no sleep so beautiful and calm, so free from trace of pain, so fair to look upon.

Howard Mickelson, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. Mickelson, aged 14 years and 6 months, died at his home on the west side on Thursday, February 25th, at noon, from the effect of a gunshot wound, received while hunting rabbits on Saturday afternoon about a mile south of the city. At first it did not seem as if he had been fatally injured, but on Wednesday it became apparent to all that he had but a short time to live, and at noon on Thursday he passed from earth to the great beyond.

All that loving care and the best physicians could do had been done, but in vain; God willed it otherwise.

In the death of Howard Mickelson our school loses a highly respected member, and the home from which he was called, a noble son and brother. He was esteemed by all for his many admirable traits of character and his gentle demeanor.

The funeral was held on Sunday afternoon from the Methodist church, Rev. Putnam of the Baptist church conducting the services.

The many beautiful floral tributes from teachers and school spoke more plainly than words of the esteem in which he was held.

Whispered appeal to forever endure, Rereth a prayer to the Great Defender,

Take him, oh God; his life was pure.

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AUNT ELIZABETH, MATCHMAKER

By T. BLAIR EATON

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The orchestra leader waved his baton energetically, as if summoning his drooping charges to spurt in the last quarter; then, with a final roar, in which drums and cymbals strove to outdo each other, the waltz came to an end, while the perspiring musicians mopped their faces and cursed in guttural German these Wednesday night hops.

Mr. William Fosdeck stepped through the low window on to the veranda with a sigh of relief and a sense of duty done. He had danced with each one of the three giggling Maxson girls and now felt assured he richly merited a cigarette and a few moments' quiet on the broad, moonlit veranda, where the thud of the surf on the rocks below was a grateful contrast to the noise and whirl of the palm bowled, stilling room he had just left.

As he turned the corner to claim his favorite nook some one called, "Oh, good evening, Mr. Fosdeck!"

He turned and beheld Gertrude Martin and her aunt in the shadow of the ivy vine. It was Aunt Elizabeth who had hailed him.

"Ah, not dancing, I see," said Fosdeck, throwing away the newly lighted cigarette—with what inward thoughts may be imagined—and taking the vacant chair by Miss Martin.

"No," said the girl; "it's so delightful here."

"A trifle chilly, though," Gertrude, dear," her aunt said. "If you'll both excuse me for a moment I think I'll get a wrap."

"Shan't I get it for you, Mrs. Martin?" said Fosdeck.

"Oh, thank you, no," Aunt Elizabeth returned. "I really don't know where mine is, and I anticipate quite a hunt before I finally run it to earth."

As Aunt Elizabeth disappeared around the corner the girl sighed resignedly.

"Oh, dear," she said, "it's too absurd. She invariably stampered within three minutes after you appear, and her motive is so horribly obvious."

Fosdeck laughed. "Her methods are a trifle open," he observed.

"But I feel very different now we understand each other," the girl went on. "It was awfully embarrassing at first, especially that time she man-



HE SAW SOME ONE FLUTTERING A HAND- KEMOCHIE FROM THE FIRE.

aged to miss the coach down from the village and left us to ride back together."

"Yes," Fosdeck laughed; "you were a perfect little fury sitting there opposite me. Really you made me feel it was I, not Aunt Elizabeth, who had engineered the whole affair."

"I wanted you to hate me," she said. "Last winter," he said slowly, "when your Aunt Elizabeth was preaching you to me all the time, I decided if I ever met you to dislike you very much."

"I'm glad, after all, it hasn't made us enemies," she said.

"So am I," he asserted, with a fervor that made her glance up at him quickly. "Poor Aunt Elizabeth!" he went on. "I fancy she doesn't dream her plans have merely succeeded in setting us conspiring to defeat her schemes. I'm almost sorry for her."

"She's so terribly in earnest about it," said the girl. "Every time she makes those idiotic excuses and leaves us I think I'll speak my mind plainly to her. Then I go upstairs simply boiling, and she meets me with such a blessing-you-my-child-didn't-I-fix-it-beautiful sort of air that I haven't the heart to say a word. Now," she said, rising, "I shall leave you, for you want to be alone and finish your smoke."

"Really, Miss Martin?" he began.

"Now, don't spoil it all by saying things which are generally expected at such a time," she said. "I like you best when you're perfectly frank."

"I wish you wouldn't go," he persisted.

"I want a promise from you before I leave," she said. "Don't go down in your cab tomorrow to the picnic on Poplar Island with the fleet, will you?"

"Why?" he asked.

"It's high time we were taking the field against Aunt Elizabeth. She

counted on our sailing down with you. I told her you weren't going."

"And you're going back day after tomorrow," he said, almost reproachfully.

"You must back my word," she said. "If it amounts to that, I won't go," he answered.

"Thanks. Good night," she called, and was gone.

Fosdeck strode down the walk toward the water. He was thinking of the girl as she stood there on the veranda, the moonlight on her copper colored hair and her dark eyes looking frankly into his own. Halfway down to the water he stopped suddenly and dug his toe viciously into the gravel.

"Oh, hang Aunt Elizabeth!" he growled.

Fosdeck watched the fleet depart for the island next morning, with them Miss Martin and her aunt. He spent a miserable day wandering about the woods behind the hotel. Late in the afternoon he took the cab and sailed down past the island, where he saw the fleet anchored, and caught a glimpse of the merry picnic party on the shore. Then he sailed seaward, and not until he saw the fleet start for home did he turn about to come back.

As he neared Poplar Island he saw some one fluttering a handkerchief from the pier. He ran ashore to find Aunt Elizabeth and Miss Martin on the pierhead.

"This is rare good fortune," Aunt Elizabeth said ingenuously as they came aboard. Presently she found an excuse to go below.

"Oh, what made you sail down past here?" said the girl when they were alone.

"Aunt Elizabeth recognized the boat by the queer pennant you fly. Of course then she contrived to have us left behind when the fleet sailed back and signaled you when you came along."

"For soul, I wanted to give her one more chance," he returned.

"Let's go outside going back," she suggested. "It'll be rough out there in this wind."

"Your aunt"—he began doubtfully.

"It's what she deserves," she said grimly.

They went outside the chain of islands into a strong breeze and rough water. Salt spray flew over the bow in buckets as they sped along. Miss Martin sat on the edge of the cockpit, her hair in fine disarray in the wind and her eyes shining.

"Isn't this glorious?" she said. "I'm almost grateful to Aunt Elizabeth for once."

One little hand grasped the rail near the wheel. Fosdeck watched it hungrily and suddenly decided the wheel needed but one of his own brown hands. The other closed over the little hand on the rail. She looked up in surprise, but made no attempt to withdraw it.

"If Aunt Elizabeth hadn't preached you to me on all conceivable occasions I'd propose," he said, his voice husky with emotion.

"If Aunt Elizabeth hadn't thrown me at your head I'd accept you," she returned.

"Let's call Aunt Elizabeth nil," he cried.

"Let's," she replied very softly.

His free arm drew her gently from the rail and close beside him, and at that moment some one came up through the companionway. Aunt Elizabeth stood before them clutching the little brass rail, very white and shaky, but even in that moment of physical anguish she beamed upon them triumphantly, as one who has fought a good fight.

"Ah, I knew it from the very first," she said weakly.

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CARE OF HOUSE PLANTS.

How to Have a Thriving Garden in Winter.

Raising house plants is not after all a very difficult thing if one observes certain facts and gives sufficient attention to them, says the Brooklyn Citizen. Plants are frequently moved around too much to thrive and are exposed to uneven temperature or drafts.

The room in which plants grow must not be kept very warm in the daytime and allowed to become very cold at night. Giving enough water at regular times is of course the first requisite to success in plant culture. Most flowering plants need sunshine, and therefore a sunny window protected from drafts is the best place to keep them.

On the other hand, a fernery needs light, but not sun, and therefore thrives best in windows on the shady side of the house. Coal gas and gas for lighting are destructive to all growth of plants, and therefore to protect from these cover the plants with a newspaper at night raised by some device so as not to touch the leaves. Maidenhair ferns are found to grow best under glass globes.

Every day at as nearly the same hour as you can manage water your plants. They will be grateful for the regularity, and as often as once a week give the large plants, such as palms and rubber trees, a sponge bath with tepid water. It is most important to keep the foliage free from dust. Plants, too, need fresh air as much as people, and therefore allow the window farthest from the plants to be open a little way at the top, being sure, however, to cover them if the change of temperature will be felt.

With attention to the above facts one may have a beautiful and thriving garden within doors all the season long.

How to Make Honey Muffins.

Take three cups of sifted flour; add two teaspoonsful of baking powder and a small half teaspoonful (level) of salt; stir these well together, then rub in two ounces of butter, using a flexible knife, not the fingers; beat three eggs light; add to them a cup of strained honey and a cup of milk; mix to a smooth batter and bake in a moderately hot oven.

How to Stand in a Car.

One of the little women whose size forbids them to depend on the straps of a trolley car when compelled to stand gives this advice: "If one will stand facing the side windows, with feet well apart to support the body, leaning slightly to the rear when the car starts, one may escape altogether any jerking or even perceptible motion. Recently I noticed when coming uptown in a crowded car the rolling about of the women in spite of the fact that they were hanging on to the straps, and their helpless condition has prompted me to give this little secret for their comfort. My arms are short, and I cannot depend upon the straps, but I can stand without moving, no matter how fast the car is going or how rough the road, if I am not pushed out of my place by some one standing next to me."

How to Renovate Crape.

To renovate crape lay it on a table and cover it with a damp cloth; then pass a hot iron over the cloth as closely as you can without actually touching it. This treatment will freshen up the crape beautifully, for the steam will cause it to wrinkle just as it does when new.

How to Preserve Pumpkin.

Cut the pumpkin into inch cubes, removing the rind. To each pound allow half a pound of sugar and two ounces of whole ginger root. Put the pumpkin, sugar and ginger in alternate layers in a jar and let them stand three days, when a quantity of sirup will have formed. Pour all into a preserving kettle and boil slowly until the pumpkin looks clear. Store in small jars or glasses covered with paraffin. This preserve strongly resembles ginger. It may be added to sauces and is very good when served with ice cream or frozen puddings.

How to Cure Dandruff.

Strong black tea is recommended as a dandruff cure. It is said that shampooing the hair once in ten days with this and stimulating the hair by thorough brushing both before and after will cure the most obstinate cases of dandruff if used persistently.

How to Make Peppermint Cordial.

This cordial will keep for any length of time. Take one gallon of water, four and a half pounds of loaf sugar, two drams of the best oil of peppermint and a pint of gin. Boil the water and sugar together for twenty minutes, let stand till nearly cold, then add oil of peppermint and gin. Mix all together. When quite cold pour into bottles and cork tightly. Smaller quantity may be made by halving the measurements.

How to Take Rust Out of Steel.

To take rust out of steel cover the steel with sweet oil, well rubbed in, and in forty-eight hours use unsifted lime finely powdered, and rub until all the rust disappears.

How to Make Borax Water.

Borax water is a good thing to have about the washstand. It is easily made. Pour a pint of boiling water over six tablespoonsful of powdered crystallized borax and let it get cold. Then strain and bottle. The water will take just about this amount of borax, this being a saturated solution. Keep well corked, so no dirt can enter.

How to Carve Mutton.

When carving a leg of mutton use the knife lightly; otherwise the gravy is pressed out and the slices rendered dry.

THE STAY-AT-HOMES.

The Joneses are going to Florida to spend the wintry days.

The Smiths have started for Egypt (where did they make the raise?). Brown's in California, while Getrox just told me.

He thinks of boarding a slow going ship and spending three months at sea. Then it's his for the people who go away.

And hey for the ones who roam; It's nice to be able to do it, sure, But cheaper to stay at home.

The Jenkinses have planned to cruise about the Mediterranean; The Robinsons go to the orient, the land of the waving fan.

In fact, most every one that you know has planned a way to evade The rigorous winds and storms to come to toll in the sun and shade.

Then it's hi for the lucky travelers, And ha for the folks who sail; It's pleasant to wander whenever you please.

And miss every winter gale! And yet for us stay-at-homes there is something to be said still.

We have to fight the snow and the ice and pay the coal man's bill, But when the travelers all return, just think of the fun that you will get from telling them of the life you managed to weather through!

Then it's rah for the people who get away! (And fudge for our unpaid bills). They won't be in it when we compare Our catalogue of ills!

—Cincinnati Times-Star.

The Point.



The Little Fat One—You don't see the point.

The Tall Thin One—Oof! No, but I feel it.—San Francisco Examiner.

A Small Boy's Diagnosis.

Kenneth has all a small boy's tenacity of purpose, with which that of the building is not to be compared. His purpose was to go out for a coast with his new sled. Unfortunately, however, his ideas and mamma's were not in accord, for, as luck would have it, he was just recovering from the measles when the first snowstorm of the season arrived.

It was very exasperating to see his new red mittens and his rubber boots lying unoccupied on the hall stand. It was more exasperating still to see the other boys making snow men and pelted each other with snowballs in the street below.

"Mamma, why-y-y-y can't I go out?" wailed Kenneth for the hundredth time since the first flake fell.

"Because the doctor says you must not, Kenneth," answered his mother patiently.

"But, mamma, I'm puffed up well. If I felt any better, mamma, I'd—I'd ache!"—Philadelphia Ledger.

Inattentive Waiters.

Stranger—Are the waiters here attentive to you?

Pretty Cashier—Sir-r-r-r!

Stranger—Oh, no offense, I assure you. I was only carrying out the instructions as printed on the bill of fare, which says, "Please report any inattention of waiters to cashier." And I thought if they were inattentive to you I would report them; that's all.—Baltimore American.

"Three's a Crowd."

Tom—I suppose you spent a pleasant evening with your best girl?

Dick—Pleasant? Huh! A fellow can't make love to his girl in a crowd.

Tom—Oh, was there a crowd there?

Dick—Yes, and the chump didn't have sense enough to realize that he wasn't wanted.—Philadelphia Press.

No Cause For Worry.

He—Your husband is dancing with your rival.

She—Yes; I encouraged it.

He—You did?

She—Certainly did. He can't dance with a woman without walking all over her feet.—Yonkers Statesman.

A Surprise to Her.

"Well," said Mrs. Oldenstee, "I must be going or I fear paterfamilias will scold when I get home."

"Why," exclaimed her hostess, "I didn't know you had a French cook. Do you call him Pete right to his face?"—Chicago Record-Herald.

Carried It to an Extreme.

"So Jiggers has been arrested for arson. Such a genial, joking chap too."

"Yes, I suppose he got into the habit of making light of everything."—Boston Globe.

Coals of Fire.

Gladys—Men are such conceited things! Why, one may see them any time gazing at a looking glass.

Tom (meaningly)—Yes, but it's always a good looking lass.—New York Times.

Far Away.

The Brute—What are you thinking of, Mamie?

Mamie—I am dreaming of my youth.

The Brute—I thought you had a far-away look in your eyes.—Princeton Tiger.

Undisputed.

"Have taxpayers no rights?" demanded the impassioned orator.

"Certainly," replied a man in the back row. "They have the right to pay taxes."—Detroit Free Press.

How to Preserve Your Health.

In pressing trousers the iron should never be pressed upon the cloth of the trousers.

Lay a thick, very damp cloth over them after adjusting the legs into the proper creases and press hard through the upper cloth. "Scorch" then is impossible.

How to Remove Onion Odor.

To sweeten jars and bottles which retain an odor of onions fill them with garden mold and leave them out of doors for two or three days. When well washed they will be fit for filling with jam or for any other use.

Of Interest to Parents.

In buying a cough medicine to be administered to children and persons who are of a delicate constitution, parents should avoid buying those bad tasting syrups that nauseate the stomach and disturb the digestion. Many of such medicines contain opium and other stupefying drugs which are dangerous, as well as unpleasant. There is one medicine sold by Sam Church and John E. Daly druggists which is free from all such objections. It is Harts' Honey and Horehound and it may always be relied upon to speedily cure Coughs, Colds, Croup, La Grippe and all Throat and Lung affections. Large bottles 25c, and 50c and \$1.00.

Macedonian Girls.

In Macedonia girls usually marry at the age of thirteen or fourteen, and a husband will pay \$15 to \$20 for a wife if she is a good reaper and expert at housework and spinning. When girls from the villages marry townsmen no money is paid, the bride instead bringing her trousseau with her in exchange, as it were, for the privilege of becoming a "town lady." In the latter case the bride most likely will be required to do little or no work in the fields, and that is the great ambition of most girls there.—London Globe.

Inflammatory Rheumatism Cured.

William Shaffer, a brakeman of Dennison, Ohio, was confined to his bed for several weeks with inflammatory rheumatism. "I used many remedies," he says. "Finally I sent to McCaw's drug store for a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, at which time I was unable to use hand or foot, and in one week's time was able to go to work as happy as a clam." Otto's Pharmacy.

How to Clean Velvet.

To raise the pile on velvet or plush hold the wrong side over steam arising from boiling water until the pile rises. Grease may be taken out of velvet by a little turpentine poured over the spot; then rub briskly with a piece of dry flannel. Repeat the operation if necessary and hang the article in the air.

Summons.

State of Wisconsin—Wood County—In Circuit Court.

Mollie Smith, Plaintiff, vs. Eugene W. Smith, Defendant.

The State of Wisconsin to the said Defendant: You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and defend the above entitled action in the court aforesaid, and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint of which a copy is herewith served upon you.

W. C. CONWAY, Plaintiff's Attorney.

P. O. address, Grand Rapids, Wood County, Wisconsin.

2-7-24 In County Court.

STATE OF WISCONSIN: }
WOOD COUNTY, }
In the Matter of the Estate of Mary Hutton, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue and in pursuance of an Order of License made in said matter by the County Court of Wood County on the 9th day of February, A. D. 1924, the undersigned, Michael Vincent, Administrator, will on the 17th day of March, A. D. 1924, at 11 o'clock a. m. at the front door of the Court House in the city of Grand Rapids in Wood County, offer for sale at public auction the following described lands situated in said county, to-wit:

The North West quarter of the North West quarter of Section No. one (1), and the North East quarter of the North East quarter of Section No. two (2), all in Township No. twenty-four (24) North, Range No. five (5) East.

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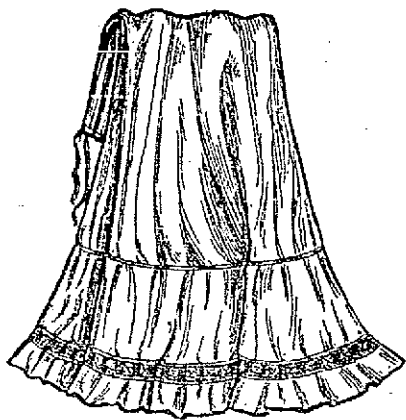


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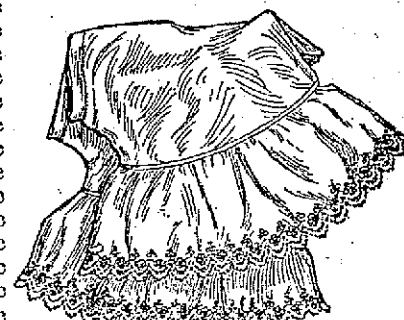
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State Capitol Burns.
The state house at Madison burned on Saturday, involving a loss of some \$800,000 to the people of the state of Wisconsin. The main part of the structure is a total wreck; the only parts that are left being the wings. Besides the pecuniary loss to the people there were many valuable relics destroyed and valuable records that can never be replaced are gone. There was no insurance on the building, a law passed at the last session of the legislature having abolished the system of insuring state buildings.

The territory of Wisconsin was organized July 4, 1836, and the first meeting of the territorial legislature convened at Belmont October 25 of the same year. A long struggle over the location of the permanent seat of the government was precipitated at once. There were seventeen applicants, Fond du Lac, Dubuque, Portage, Helena, Milwaukee, Racine, Belmont, Mineral Point, Platteville, Green Bay, Cassville, Bellevue, Keshiko, Neenah, Wisconsin Rapids, Peru, Wisconsin City, and Madison. Several of these places existed only on maps of real estate boomers. Madison, the place finally selected, belonged to the latter class. What is now known as the capitol park was donated to the state by owners of the land in a document dated at Mineral Point, January 16, 1839. The first house was built in Madison in the spring of 1837, and on July 4 of the same year the corner stone of the capitol was laid. The first session of the legislature was held in the capitol in 1838 and the first building erected cost \$800,000. In 1857 the building was enlarged, about \$100,000 being spent on it. In 1882 the building was further enlarged and improved, the legislature making an appropriation of \$200,000 for that purpose. In 1883 the south wing, then in course of erection, fell, the accident leading to the death of eight workmen. The total appropriations for the capitol, park, etc., were about \$900,000. The height of the building from the basement to the top of the flagstaff was 225 1/2 feet.

Milwaukee Evening Wisconsin. Washington dispatches say that Republican leaders in both houses of Congress are astounded at the pressure from reputable business men and well meaning people in all parts of the country in favor of large appropriations. Leaving river and harbor improvements and public buildings out of the question, it would take more than two hundred millions of dollars to meet the extraordinary demands put forward with a confidence which indicates that those who make them will be astonished if they are refused.

These good folks must be under the spell of the old delusion regarding the government's inexhaustible magic purse. As a matter of fact, the surplus in the treasury is perilously close to the vanishing point, and without additions to the burdens of Uncle Sam has already assumed, he may find himself before long pinched for cash unless his boys in Congress conduct affairs with exemplary prudence. Reckless appropriations will have to stop. The government of the United States does not possess a magic purse, and taxation cannot be increased without a popular protest that would make itself felt at the polls.

War news from the far east continues to come in with clocklike regularity, although the reader is often in a state of maze or partial coma when he has finished reading a bunch of the stuff that comes from that part of the world. Sometimes one is led to believe that after all the returns are in and everything has been summed up that it will be found that a great many of the reports were simply repetitions of what went before. The newspaper correspondents have a great advantage in this war, owing to the fact that the names are all unpronounceable and unrememberable, so that one never knows whether he is reading war news or whether it is simply a case of delirium tremens on the part of the compositor who set up the item.

Both republicans and democrats seem to think that the action of the last legislature in abolishing the insurance on the state buildings will not prove of any benefit to the admin-

istration, now that a serious fire loss has occurred. Insurance men say that the state cannot afford to carry its own insurance, partly because there is so much money tied up in one building, as has been demonstrated by the fire of Saturday. It is claimed that men who are supposed to possess the knowledge and foresight which have been accredited to the governor and his advisors should recognize this fact and govern themselves accordingly. The burning of the capitol building means a loss of about a million dollars, which the tax payers will have to stand. This rather knocks the stuffing out of the great saving that the administration has been doing so much talking about in not having any state tax this year. These republican administrations come high, but it seems that we must have them.

Governor La Follette has issued the annual Arbor day proclamation in which the executive appoints Friday, May 6th, as the day, and says: "To promote protection to trees and birds and to awaken an interest in arboriculture, with a view not only to engender a healthy public spirit in regard to them, but to stimulate healthy co-operation on the part of the citizens of the state, with the work undertaken by the state to preserve the remnants of our forests, it is recommended that this day be observed all institutions of learning with the planting of trees, and such other suitable exercises as shall serve to emphasize the importance of the protection and extension of our forests as essential to the well being of future generations, and the preservation of our native birds as a wise act of humanity."

Since the destruction of the capitol building at Madison much talk has been indulged in by the residents of different towns and cities in the state concerning the moving of the capitol. Nearly every town in the state that has any sort of pride in its existence has put in some sort of a windy bid for the affair. Milwaukee has put in a claim, and of course this is not so preposterous as it might be. Milwaukee is the metropolis of Wisconsin, and it is no mean sort of a city. It is a place that any state might well be proud of. It is centrally located on account of its excellent railroad facilities, and many people think that the capital of a state should be its largest city. Many complaints are made of Madison because it is situated in such an out of the way section of the state and also because the poor hotel accommodations that the place affords. The people of Eau Claire have also mentioned their city as an ideal place for the capitol building, although it is impossible to imagine why they consider it would be a good thing to locate there, unless it is on account of the excellent quality of the sand in that section that could be obtained for doing the brick work on the buildings. We are waiting anxiously to hear from other cities in the state.

Those who are looking forward with trepidation to the time when the world's coal supply shall be exhausted will find solace in some rough calculations by John Clark Hawshaw, a prominent civil engineer, concerning the water power now going to waste. He says: "Assume a depth of 10 inches of rain fall to flow off each square inch of land surface, the mean height of which may be taken as 2,350 feet above sea level. Then the water from the whole surface falling thru the mean height would give 10,340,000,000 horse power in perpetuity. Our present yearly output of 225,000,000 tons of coal would give that horse power for only a little over half a day."

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Congregational Concert.
The program for the concert which the ladies are going to give at the Congregational church on Friday evening, March 4th, has been prepared and is as follows:
Overture Lambert's Orchestra
Soprano solo Miss Laura Briggs
Reading—The Habitué Drummond
Mrs Emma Brundage
Tenor Solo—Forbidden Music
Mr. Thomas
Violin Solo—Sans Parole Wunawski
Mr. Simons.
Intermission.
Music—March Lambert's Orchestra
Soprano Solo Miss Laura Briggs
Reading—A Cleyer Stratagem Homes
Miss Mary Braloney
Euphonium Solo—Weldon Polka
Mr. Simons
Soprano Solo—Violin Obligato
Miss Briggs Mr. Simons

Engberry Returns.
F. A. Engberry, the man who left Stevens Point very suddenly on the 1st of January with money belonging to other parties and his books in rather a mixed condition for an upright business man, has returned. Engberry was met in Washington by D. E. Frost of Stevens Point, and after a talk with Mr. Frost consented to return to his home. No charges have been preferred against the young man as yet, and it cannot be stated at this time whether there will be any. Engberry bore such a good reputation and his record was so good that the people of Stevens Point seem loth to prosecute him for his misdeeds.

Important if True.
Another raid is about to be made on the state treasury. A farmer in Marathon county has sent in a bill to Madison for corn consumed by quail and partridge and another in Eau Claire county demands compensation for a vast amount of "garden sass" consumed by a lonely deer during the spring and summer of 1903. This animal seems to have an overwhelming addiction to young onions; that item alone being estimated at \$40. He also consumed vast quantities of radishes, lettuce and other succulent plants. The farmer claims that as the state owns the deer it should pay for their keep.—Eau Claire Leader.

—Owing to the closing of so many theatrical companies since the Chicago fire, managers have been compelled to take their attractions on the road. Manager Hamilton has secured as a special attraction the Brannig Stock company which will open a three nights engagement at the Grand beginning Monday evening, March 7th. Mr. Brannig is the manager of the Marlowe theatre, Chicago, and his partner, Mr. Scott, has been for the past eleven years manager and press agent of the leading road attractions. They have recruited their company from the leading attractions which close their seasons in Chicago and will present the following plays at popular prices: "How Hopper was Side-tracked," "A Woman's Honor," "The Star Boarder," and "Nick Carter, the New York Detective." Company numbers fourteen people, and with five vaudeville acts, which will be changed with every performance. They carry all special scenery and as a special inducement for a full house on Monday evening they give a ladies' free night which will entitle any lady to free admission when accompanied by a paid thirty cent ticket. The prices for this engagement will be ten, twenty and thirty cents. Full houses should be the rule during the company's engagement here.

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When he stows things away in his multitudinous pockets and saunters on with unnumbered hands.
When he trips up the street on a rainy day with his trousers jauntily turned up and no skirts to kick.
When he swings easily on and off a moving car without danger of tangling his heels in his petticoats.
When the dinner is spoiled and he chafes unconcernedly and all the guests pity him because he is married to an incompetent, fussy, decomposed woman.—Chicago Journal.

Beauty's Varieties.
The French say there are several "ages" as well as kinds of beauty—the beauty of mere youthfulness, which they call la beauté du diable; also a beauty of "ugliness," of "old age" and of "thinness," called la beauté du singe. Frederika Bremer, the Swedish novelist, had the beauty of "plainness." She was so very plain of face that her expression of trustfulness, as though appealing to you to find some other qualities in her than mere "looks," shone out with a perfect radiance that ennobled her face and drew friends to her, because she had no other beauty. But Miss Bremer took pleasure in her well kept hands, of which she used to say, "Even hands have their moments of charm."

Wild Animals and the Human Voice.
Gordon Cumming was perhaps the first to discover the effect of the human voice upon wild animals. On one occasion he had a lioness in full retreat before him. He called loudly to her, whereupon she squatted like a huge dog and permitted him to approach. In a similar venture he checked the charge of a lioness by yelling at her and continued to do so, while she remained perplexedly sniffing the ground and allowed him to escape.

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Dr. Scerist will be at the Witter House Tuesday, March, 15th. No charge unless cured.

SHORT LOCALS

Mrs. F. J. Wood is confined to her home with sickness.

Charles A. Mackey is in Duluth on some business matters.

Mrs. Andrew King has been very sick for some time past.

The electricians will hold a banquet at the Crystal Cafe this evening.

The mission band will meet next Saturday with Mrs. Sam Church.

Pat Hayden, of Green Bay spent Tuesday in the city visiting friends.

St. Catherine's Guild meets with Mrs. Will Gross on Friday afternoon.

The Entre Nous club will meet with Mrs. D. D. Conway on March 7th.

A boy baby arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Martin on Tuesday.

Geo. M. Hill is able to be around again after quite a lengthy siege of sickness.

Mrs. N. Popin has been confined to her home for several days past by sickness.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Mead returned on Saturday from a visit to Milwaukee.

Mrs. E. S. Renne left on Thursday for Stevens Point to visit her relatives for a short time.

—Wanted, a girl to do general housework. Call at O. Kaurin's gallery for information.

The E. O. K. Club held their dance on Friday evening, and those present had a very pleasant time.

Thos. Soles, proprietor of the city meat market at Marshfield was in the city on business on Friday.

Jop Demarais of Minneapolis spent Sunday in this city the guest of Mrs. Adlor Clairmont, his sister.

John Parrish and H. Rablin spent several days in the northern part of the state last week on business.

There was a teachers' meeting at the training school room on Saturday. The attendance was not large.

Miss Ella Hasbrouck was detained from her work a couple of days last week by an attack of the grip.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet next Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. J. W. Cochran.

Isaac P. Witter was confined to his home several days during the past week with an attack of the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Gardner are rejoicing over the arrival of twin babies at their home, a boy and a girl.

Engene Chavvin of Merrill was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Richard Harvey, for several days this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Bogger visited friends and relatives in Merrill last week. They returned home on Saturday.

Miss Gertrude Harris, who is well known in this city as a rooucher, has accepted a position in the Mortend studio.

James Hamilton left on Monday for Portage to attend the annual session of the Wisconsin Clay Workers association.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the M. E. church will meet with Mrs. T. A. Taylor on Friday, March 4.

Peter Redmond of Rudolph was in the city on Tuesday and while here favored the Tribune office with a pleasant call.

Louis Sonall has accepted a position with the Consolidated Water Power and Paper company, doing electrical work.

A number from here expect to take in the wrestling match at Stevens Point on Friday between Fred Beel and Harry Russell.

Miss Dorothy Case, who has been the guest of Miss Nellie Ward for some time past, left on Monday for her home in Necedah.

Dr. H. A. Lathrop of Marshfield, district deputy of the Elks, was in the city on Tuesday evening to pay a visit to the local lodge.

Matt Schiltz, one of the solid young farmers of the town of Rudolph favored the Tribune office with a pleasant call on Saturday.

Mrs. J. E. Perry of Bidwell, Iowa, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. H. Voss, for some time past, left for her home on Friday.

B. B. Goggins arrived in the city on Monday from Milwaukee, and he is getting along very nicely, which his many friends will be glad to hear.

James McLaughlin wishes the Tribune to announce that he will be a candidate for sheriff at the coming republican convention this summer.

C. E. Lester was up from Cranmore on Monday and Tuesday. He reports that it is not his intention to move in from the marsh until the weather moderates a trifle.

Mrs. F. E. Bump went to Wausau on Thursday evening, being called there by the serious illness of her father. Mr. Bump was also a Wausau visitor last week.

Patrick Case was taken quite sick on Tuesday while in the city, and that the service of a physician had to be summoned. Mr. Case has been ailing for some time.

A. H. Sylow of Port Edwards was among the callers at the Tribune office on Saturday. He was accompanied by his brother Frank, of Watertown, who is paying him a visit.

—Home Painting, paperhanging, inside finishing and of all kinds neatly done and all work guaranteed satisfactory. Give me a trial. Neil Laramie, telephone 69.

—If you have any throat, lung, liver, heart, or any chronic disease, we advise you to consult Dr. Brewer on his next visit at the Dixon House on Thursday, March 10th.

Gorton's Minstrels was favored with a good house on Saturday evening and the company put up a very good show, and everybody seemed pleased with the entertainment.

Conductor Frank Brown and family are occupying rooms in the home of Richard Harvey until their home is again fixed up, which it is the intention to do as soon as possible.

Mrs. F. Beadle returned on Monday from Nekoosa where she had been at the bedside of her daughter in law, Mrs. W. E. Beadle, who underwent an operation the previous Friday.

George Howe of the east side was stricken with paralysis one day last week and has since been in a very precarious condition. As he is well advanced in years there is little hope for his recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parker left on Tuesday for Montana, after spending the winter in this city. Charley claims there is no place that will just come up to Montana as a place to live in.

Miss Grace Dillingham received the sad intelligence on Sunday that her sister had died that morning at her old home in New Jersey. Owing to the distance Miss Dillingham did not attend the funeral.

The Eastern Star held a social evening on Saturday in honor of Roy Taft, who was one of the local members. Mr. Taft left on Tuesday for Tunnel City, where he engages in the mercantile business.

—How is your watch? If it isn't performing its duty, bring it to me and have the faults corrected. I repair watches with a skill only to be attained by years of practical experience. W. G. Seale, west side.

B. J. Whitney returned on Saturday from his southern trip. Some of Ed's friends circulated the report that he had got married soon after he left here and was away on wedding tour, but it seems that they were mistaken.

The erection of a new capitol building by the state will cost somewhere from one to two millions of dollars. Of course this will not fall onto the tax payers all at once, but will have to be paid just the same.

Platt Corriveau has been detained at his home for the past two weeks with a mild attack of typhoid. He is considerably better at present and hopes to be about again in a short time.

Louis Menier who was called home a week ago Saturday to mourn the loss of his beloved little sister, Leona, left Saturday last for Shanagolden where he is employed for the Nash Lumber Co.

Bert Bever has accepted the position of clerk of the circuit court tendered him by Judge Webb, and has entered upon the discharge of his duties. Bert's many friends will be pleased to have him a resident of our city once more.

March came in like a lamb this year so according to all precedents it should go out like a lion. In view of the weather we have been having during the past three months, this should not terrify anybody to any great extent.

The fire company was called out last night by the burning of the small blacksmith shop near the Pioneer Wood Pulp Company's mill. The loss was not much and nothing else was destroyed. The alarm occurred at 4:20 this morning.

—Daily, from March 1st until April 30th, inclusive, the Wisconsin Central Railway Co. offer low rate colonist tickets to all points in the west and northwest.

—Good residence lots with good water, dry cellars, level, on top of sandy hill, near foot of High street, at \$15 to \$20. Payable on or before five years at 7 per cent. Inquire of George N. Wood at the Dixon hotel.

The National Fraternal League will initiate a class of about thirty on Friday evening. State Deputy W. M. Davis of Manitowish will be here to assist in the work. The order also intends to have a spread on that evening and do things up in proper shape.

M. J. Slattery has rented the building on the east side formerly occupied by Mrs. Charles Hoff as a millinery store, and will remove his tailor shop over there in the near future. Mr. Slattery says that an upstairs location is not as good as the had hoped it would be.

Gus Carlson of Tomahawk was arrested here on Friday by officer Mike Mason while on his way south on the St. Paul train. Carlson was wanted at Tomahawk, where he is charged with robbing a friend of some money. He was taken back to Tomahawk on Saturday by the officer from there.

—On March 1st and 15th round trip homeseeker rates are in effect to points in Texas, New Mexico, Arkansas, Kansas, Indian Territory and Oklahoma. For further information call on or address R. F. TURNELL, Agt.

John C. Wagner, a Racine politician, is about to publish a book entitled "The Game of Politics. How to Become a Successful Politician," by John C. Wagner, ex-Sheriff, ex-Assemblyman, ex-Supervisor, and present Alderman. Mr. Wagner will expose many of his political secrets; tell of fixing conventions, packing caucuses, and other things. Mr. Wagner is a saloonkeeper.

Rev. Korczyk of Dodge, Wis., who has charge of the Polish Catholic congregation at this place, reports that the dedication of the new Polish Catholic church will not occur on the 13th of March as stated in the Tribune last week. There will be services in the church on that day but the dedication will not be held until the edifice is entirely completed.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society have secured a date from Madame Taitka to lecture in this city on Friday, March 18th, at the Congregational church, when our people will have a chance listen to a very interesting talk on foreign missions by one who has been right on the ground and undergone all the hardships that this class of people generally encounter.

Dr. A. L. Ridgman received a letter from his son Earl last week which stated that his term of enlistment in the United States navy had expired and that he expected to be home in the near future. Earl has been in the navy for the past four years and during that time has been in about every country of any importance in the world.

—A Montana Outlaw, a play written by Herbert Hall Winslow and Fred S. Gibbs, dealing with life in the Kootenai Valley of Montana, comes to the Grand Opera House Friday night, March 12th. The play has a story of great interest and is said to contain many thrilling climaxes. Several good specialties are introduced during the action of the play.

Eljah Moore of Grand Rapids, went to Chicago and was met by a woman who claimed to be his sister-in-law from Neillsville. [He was induced to a room in some building, relieved of \$120 and then kicked out of doors. The more he thinks about it the more he thinks that he is more of a fool than any Moore ought to be, and the woman Moore is more of a sharper than any Moore ought to be. He doesn't want to meet any Moores any more.—Merrill Star.

Conductor Frank Brown effected a settlement with the insurance company that held the risk on his household goods on Tuesday, he receiving \$510 for the loss he suffered. Mr. Brown wishes to publicly thank the firemen for the efforts they made to prevent any greater loss than occurred at the time of the fire, also for the kindness of the neighbors who extended their aid to his family before they had been able to determine on any plan of action; also the Taylor and Scott agency which secured so prompt a settlement of the loss.

—Theatre goers of Grand Rapids can throw aside care and trouble and get two hours and a half of clean cut fun and happiness that will last them all next week all from seeing "How Hopper was Side Tracked." Remember everyone who wants to laugh should be at the Grand on Monday evening, March 7th. Dr. Happy Hopper will guarantee a cure. It is to laugh. Ex-Senator Harris of Wisconsin, after witnessing a performance of "How Hopper was Side Tracked" said "I haven't laughed so much or enjoyed an evening so much in years. The Braunig stock company are to be congratulated." Prices ten, twenty and thirty; ladies free the opening night.

—FOR RENT to a responsible party, a good farm near South Centralia. Good buildings, 30 acres under cultivation, and good hay meadow. Inquire of C. E. BOLES.

Andrew Bissig of City Point was a caller at the Tribune office last Thursday. Mr. Bissig states that the firm of Bissig Bros. recently closed a deal by which they became the owners of 200 acres more of land which joins their marsh on the west. The land lies in Jackson county. The firm now owns about 1,000 acres of land, 400 of which is in Jackson and 600 in Wood county. The land recently purchased was acquired because it gives the firm a chance to handle their water much better than they were able to before, and they now feel that they are comparatively secure against trouble from the drainage of adjacent lands.

—Don't forget that March 31 is the date of our great muslim underwear sale. Don't miss it. It means money saved for you. Heineman Mercantile Co.

Marshfield Times: The servant question in Marshfield has become so serious that there is strong talk of importing a number of colored girls from Virginia to act as servants here. A resident of this city is now in correspondence with the matron of a Virginia school which is attended by colored girls, and where a specialty is made of teaching domestic science, for the purpose of securing several colored girls to come here and work. The matron of the school promises to send girls here who are well versed in cooking and housekeeping if five or more families will agree to hire the girls as they do not wish to send the girls to any northern town alone, as they are sure to become lonesome, while if several are working in the same city, they will be more or less company for each other. As four prominent residents have already signified their intention of engaging a girl from this school, it will probably not be long before a half dozen very decided brunettes will be seen on the streets of this city.

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THE NAME MARY.

At One Time It Was Practically a Bar to Matrimony.

Mary as a Christian name was held in very singular veneration during the medieval ages, and in some parts of Europe there existed a superstitious reluctance among men to marrying any one who chanced to have been so christened, or the bride elect was at least required to change this name for some other of less sanctity.

All Marys were at one time believed to be invested with extraordinary powers in connection with the affairs of life. Bearing the name name as the Blessed Virgin, they were considered worthy of more than common consideration, and their personal influence over their husbands especially was unusual; hence many men sought authoritative ordinances forbidding their wives to be known as Mary. Sovereigns, in some cases, dreading subjection to their partners, showed a marked distaste for Marys.

Thus Alfonso IV. of Castile, when on the point of wedding a Moorish maiden, made it a condition of the marriage that at her baptism, as a recent convert to Christianity, she should not take this name. In the articles settled for the union of Ladislav of Poland with Marie de Nevers there was a clause which bound this princess to change her name to Aloysa. Casimir I. of Poland, who married Mary, daughter of the Duke of Russia, required of her a similar sacrifice to popular sentiment.—Pearson's Weekly.

RATS KNEW CAT WAS ABOUT

They Never Saw Puss and Were on Another Floor of House.

"I have observed recently a rather curious thing with respect to the relationship between cats and rats, and it has led to a rather interesting reflection," said a man who takes much interest in natural life. "For awhile the rats overrun my place. At night there was no such thing as quiet around the house. They would scamper across the floor, bump up and down the steps and cut all kinds of capers. We secured a cat, and from the very time the cat appeared on the place the rats began to get scarce.

"There is nothing curious about this fact in itself. But to my personal knowledge the rats have never seen the cat. The cat has remained on one floor and the rats on another. There has been no chasing and no conflict between them. Now, I want to know how the rats know the cat is on the place.

"The inquiry has caused me to indulge the more interesting reflection, How far can a rat detect the presence of a cat by the sense of smell? Evidently at considerable distance. Else the rats at my place would not have known of the cat's presence under the circumstances. I'm quite sure that they have never seen the cat. But they know he is there just the same, and they have been awfully cautious since his arrival."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

Dangerous Fishing.

Some years ago the New London sloop yacht *Leahot*, while cruising off Martha's Vineyard for swordfish, was struck by a wounded fish and so badly injured that she sank. The fish had pierced the bottom with his sword and in his blind attack had butted his head so hard against her timbers that they were shattered.

Actually not one of the fifty or sixty vessels that cruise for swordfish has a record of complete immunity. One craft was struck and rammed by swordfish twenty times in one cruise. Luckily none of the attacks was delivered under such circumstances that the fish succeeded in piercing her hull entirely, but the vessel was injured so badly that she needed a thorough overhauling after she made port.

Spencers and Titles.

Herbert Spencer in disdaining all titles happened to follow a lead set to him by others of his name. Charles Spencer, second Lord Sunderland, would not, when he sat in parliament for Liverpool, allow himself to be called my lord and expressed the hope that he would live to see the day when not a peer would be left in England. Another and a later Spencer, the Hon. George Spencer, sixty years ago astonished his father, the Earl Spencer of the day, by dropping his title and even his name when he became a Roman Catholic and entered the Passionist order as "Father Ignatius."

Shortest Street in the World.

What is perhaps the shortest street in the world is West South Division street in Buffalo. Furthermore, it has only one side. South Division street proper runs east from Main, but the old surveyors allowed it to cross Main street and run for thirty feet on the west side, where it intersects Erie street, which runs diagonally southwest from Main. On the north of West Division street is Shelton square, so the short street has, but its south side to call its own.—Exchange.

Labor-Saving Device.

"Yes," said the boarding school teacher, "I think that is a model letter for you to write your dance. But of course you will copy it, leaving out those numerous spaces?"

"Oh, dear, no!" replied the girl. "Those are for 'dearest.' I have it on a rubber stamp."—Detroit Free Press.

Excuse of Attention.

"Did her father show you the door?"

"He did better than that. He showed me the door, the front gate and the corner drug store two blocks away."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The oyster at its best is inferior as a toothsome delicacy to the succulent clam.—Providence Journal.

WASHINGTON LETTER

(Special Correspondence.)

Edward Everett Hale is firmly established as one of the picturesque features of Washington life. He has been chaplain of the senate about a month, and already that body's opening prayer is regarded as one of the things which the visitor to the capitol ought to hear. Dr. Hale in his old age, with his great, shaggy head and tremendous voice, might well be the reincarnation of a Hebrew prophet, and there is great impressiveness in the manner of his conducting the devotional exercises. For the first time in the history of the senate the chaplain appears in the robes of his calling, and the black gown adds another element of picturesqueness to a figure that in itself would be striking enough.

Dr. Hale's election was due to a sentimental impulse of Senator Hoar, who is his lifelong personal friend and who in the early days was his parishioner at Worcester.

The venerable preacher's ministry will be a notable chapter in the history of the chaplaincy, which hitherto has been conferred generally upon men of attenuated pulse.

A prominent western newspaper publisher was seated at a table in the senate restaurant with his Washington representative. The Washington man spoke about Edward Everett Hale.

"Is he here?" asked the westerner.

"Yes," was the reply; "he is chaplain of the senate."

"Oh, you mean one of the sons."

"No; the old man."

"That's too bad," was the sympathetic response. "I didn't know he was in hard luck."

English Hoboes' Winter Resort.

"Why do all the English hoboes winter in Washington?" inquired the reporter of a cockney tramp that he located at the Salvation Army barracks.

"I don't know that all do," was the answer, "but I admit that a large majority of them are in the habit of turning this way as soon as cold weather strikes them. In the first place, they receive better treatment here than they do in New York or Chicago. Then the fact that this city is the nation's capital has a good deal to do with their coming here. It is a city that every Englishman has a desire to see. There are but two cities in America that he thinks of when he leaves England. New York, of course, is the first one, and then Washington. He 'does' the metropolis and then naturally gravitates to the national capital."

The Cannon Salutation.

Washington society is intensely interested in the new form of salutation introduced by Speaker Cannon, and it is being practiced with such assiduity that its adoption by the swells of society is merely a question of time. Whether the speaker had private rehearsals before he amazed the diplomatic corps is not known, but it is certain that he has reduced what has become known as the "Cannon society bow" to an exact science. Nothing like it is on record in the career of Beau Brummell or Beau Nash. The bow is a cross between a pigeon wing and an old fashioned courtesy. His right arm is held rigid and swept back as if he intended to execute a curve with a baseball. At the same moment his right foot is scamped back, lifted and brought down with a loud stamp. This has the effect of throwing his head forward and lowering it. The first impression is that he is about to butt the person who stands in front of him, but in an instant his head is up, his heels click together and the bow is finished. The speaker needs a little room for the maneuver. A nearsighted diplomat nearly got a wallop in the jaw on the first movement.

Frills at Receptions.

An official notification to the members of the diplomatic corps informs them that they will hereafter be expected, which means required, to wear the court garb, with all its frills, at the four chief presidential functions of the year, the diplomatic, congressional, judicial and army and navy receptions.

This request, which practically is an order, was made known in a note from Secretary Hay to Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador, dean of the diplomatic corps, and was transmitted by him to all the members of the corps.

It created a great stir and some lively comment. But obedience to the unexpected dictum was prompt, and the judicial reception was a reminder of a court function in London or St. Petersburg.

The Rule Against Smoking.

Assistants to the doorkeeper and the sergeant at arms of the house have been calling the attention of members to the fact that it is against the rules to smoke on the floor of the house, and in consequence there has been considerable complaining.

The rule for a good many years has been a dead letter, but Speaker Cannon is determined that it shall be either enforced or repealed. Mr. Cannon is himself a lover of the weed, and he justifies his decision by the assertion that no member will suffer greater inconvenience than he will through an enforcement of the rule.

Negroes and Grand Juries.

The United States supreme court has reaffirmed the ruling in the case of Carter versus the state of Texas, to the effect that the exclusion of negroes from grand juries in cases involving criminal charges against members of their race is in violation of the constitution. The decision was in the case of a resident of Alabama named Rogers who was indicted for murder by a grand jury composed entirely of white men and from which it is charged that all negroes were excluded because of their color. The supreme court of the state upheld the proceeding, but the federal court reversed the decision.

CARL SCHOFIELD.

WOMAN AND FASHION

A Child's Frock.

In the little princess frock shown here we have an original design that is exceedingly childish. A very pretty result is obtained by the use of tucks in sunburst effect in the upper edge of the sleeve and skirt. This edge just fits the



THE PRINCESS FROCK.

Little round yoke in the back and the princess front. There are so few styles for children of this age that any innovation is welcomed. The frock consists of only five pieces, and the little princess front affords a place for a bit of embroidery, although the insertion which outlines the front is really all the trimming necessary. Any material that lends itself to tucks is suitable to the mode.

Artificial Flower Trimmings.

Artificial flowers are more fashionable this season than for years and are worn for many different occasions, but especially for evening wear. The lovely, graceful sprays of these flowers (and one may have any favorite flower) are charming arranged on low corsages, beginning at the right shoulder and extending across the front of the waist so as to give the desired "long line." Again, a band of small flowers en masse is effective arranged in bertha effect, small buds and dainty foliage or feathery grasses forming a fringe. Changing the flowers for different occasions makes a complete transformation of a single gown, especially if it be white or black.

Coats and Wraps.

There are coats of all styles and lengths for day wear this winter. Some are sleek shaped and trimmed with woolen lace and quaint buttons, while others are tight fitting, with long basques, large velvet revers and cuffs. For evening wear a beautiful model is made in black velvet lined with chinilla and adorned with a collar of rare old lace. In a different style are some little tulle coats for theaters. These do duty charmingly when accompanied by a plumed picture hat of lace and tulle or a flowered toque of smaller proportions.

Fashionable Party Bags.

The wonderful beauty of the wide sash ribbons has won them a prominent place. The soft, heavy satins broadened in blurred flower or foliage designs or in velvet garlands are made up into bags of all kinds and into cases for kerchiefs, gloves, veils, etc. The marvelous piece brocades are utilized in the same way, and the most stunning party bags of the season are made of the shadow silks, which are heavy, soft silk, superb in quality and with a solid foliage or flower designs shading from light to dark in one color.

Black Cloth Costumes.

Tailors and dressmakers are turning out more black cloth costumes than ever, and they are for both old and young women. The smooth finished black cloth gown is considered much "smarter" than the rough texture, however fine. These gowns are both plain and elaborately trimmed, short for street wear or long for carriage use. They may be "brightened" if desired by contrasting furs, lace accessories or dashes of color on the hat, in plumes or rich velvet flowers and foliage.

A Dainty Waist.

Blouse of cream louisine, shirred and puffed at the top and bottom. The yoke is of gimpure, cut in blocks at the edge



FOR EVENING WEAR.

and bordered with an applique of green velvet ribbon. Six little buttons ornament the front.

The full sleeves are finished with ruffles of gimpure. The girdle is of green velvet.

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HOME REMEDIES.

How to Cure Various Ills Without Calling the Doctor.

In the medicine chest there can be many home remedies to obviate the frequent calls of the doctor and to furnish the ounce of prevention which is worth a pound of cure, says the Chicago Tribune.

A bottle of camphor, well corked, is useful for bathing an aching forehead. Turpentine often yields to a bit of cotton saturated with it, and pimples and blackheads disappear if the affected parts are frequently bathed with this remedy.

Alcohol is useful for bathing parts affected by neuralgia or rheumatism, and arnica is comforting for bruises, sprains and lumps of all sorts.

Pure turpentine is convenient for cuts and bruises and scratches and all sorts of injuries when the flesh is torn. Before doing up the wound in gauze pour on a little turpentine, and it will heal more rapidly.

A package of ordinary cooking soda finds a place in the well appointed medicine chest. A handful placed in the hot water in which the feet are bathed does much to relieve tired or blistered feet. A teaspoonful in half a glass of cold water relieves a sick stomach, while a little used as tooth powder keeps the teeth free from tartar and beautifully white.

Every trace of soda must be rinsed off the teeth every time it is used. A generous handful in the bath removes the odor of perspiration, besides strengthening and toning the system. It removes blackheads if the parts affected are first moistened and then covered with as much of the soda as will stick. Leave it on the face until the skin begins to smart, then remove by gently bathing the face with warm water and drying it with a bit of soft old linen.

A pinch of soda often relieves toothache.

How to Mount Stamp Photographs.

Since stamp photographs have become a fad new films for mounting them have been devised. One of the quickest methods for the western girl or the girl who has returned east with souvenirs from the western woods is to mount her stamp pictures on the brown bark of the eucalyptus or on yucca or orange wood. The beautiful birch bark is also excellent for mounting these miniature pictures.

How to Save Traveling Hats.

A mother with two little girls who wore dainty white hats wreathed with flowers got on a train for a short journey. Instead of permitting the pretty hats to become grimy and dusty, as is too often the case with juvenile travelers, she took them from the hands of the children when she had comfortably settled in her seat. After carefully placing the hats each in a paper bag large enough to hold them without crushing she deposited them in the rack overhead. At the end of her journey the hats were unwrapped and the bags thrown from the car window. The small maids walked out in fresh, clean hats, looking quite their prettiest, to meet grandfather at the station.

How to Whiten Piano Keys.

Whiten your piano keys by this method: Take some finely powdered whiting and apply it to the keys with a damp cloth, then polish with a dry cloth. Let the lid remain open and exposed to the sun and air as much as is possible. Rub the spots with lemon juice before applying the whiting.

How to Spice Beef.

Take seven pounds of thin flank, salt it, remove the inside skin and powder the beef well with a mixture of powdered nutmeg, ginger, mace and cloves, also black pepper and cayenne; roll it up tight and tie it with a tape, putting a skewer at each end, or roll it in thin muslin to keep in the seasoning; cover it up close in a pan of cold water and simmer for four hours. When you remove it from the fire place it between two plates, with a weight on top, or in a meat presser; remove the tape and skewers before it comes to the table; to be eaten cold.

How to Keep a Cellar Dry.

It is very hard to make a dry cellar. When the soil is not porous the ground about must be well drained. Then the walls must be covered with good cement, while sometimes it is necessary to cover walls and floor with hot asphalt.

How to Remove Tartar.

If troubled with tartar dip an orange wood stick in water, then in fine ashes, and scrub the teeth till the tartar is removed; then keep them free from it. Powder should not be required often than once a week. If the gums are sore paint with the following: Bicarbonate of soda, ten grains; powdered alum, five grains; pure carbolic acid, twelve minims; glycerin, half ounce; water, an ounce.

How to Keep Mattresses Clean.

To keep mattresses clean cover them with unbleached cotton cases. Do the same to your pillows. The cases can be taken off and washed occasionally, and the mattresses will keep clean for years.

How to Gloss Linen.

To gloss linen beautifully add to one pint of cold water two tablespoonsful of starch, one of borax and one of kerosene oil. Mix well; put the dry linen through this; wring and iron at once. A cloth dampened in kerosene and rubbed over the iron is an improvement.

How to Thread Needles Quickly.

If you find a difficulty in threading, your needle try holding it in front of a piece of white paper. This shows up the eye, and the needle is much easier to thread.

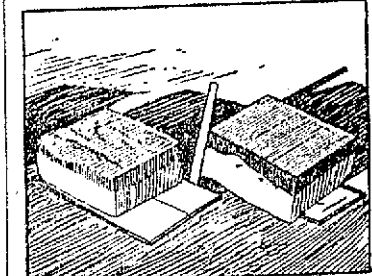
KENTUCKY TRIES OIL.

Experiments With It In Road Improvement Prove Successful.

Oil has been used on a road near Lexington, Ky., to render it dustless and more durable, and it is said the results are all that could be hoped for. After a considerable expense and preparation a mile and a half on the reconstruction part of the Newtown pike were treated, beginning one mile from the limits, says the Lexington Herald.

A White's roller, similar in many respects to a street sprinkler, spread the crude oil, over which sand was scattered to a depth of half an inch. Recently a large roller was passed over it. In the time intervening between laying and rolling the lighter oils had evaporated and the sand and penetrated limestone had set in an asphalt coat, the effect of the roller being still further to compress and smooth the surface. Despite several disadvantages, of which inability to heat the oil and the cool season were chief, the results are probably all that could have been hoped for. Waterproof, dustless and elastic, the road has also been made more durable. This last feature of the process, the discovery of which was incidental to the original use of oil as a dust layer, has brought it to the attention of the entire country.

In the west the first treatment of oil is charged to the construction account.



BLOCKS CUT FROM AN OILED ROAD.

and after that the cost is much less than keeping a road sprinkled. After the third year it is unnecessary to use the oil except for patching, and it is calculated that a well oiled road will remain dustless and waterproof for ten years or longer. The saving in repaving alone will be large, the added comfort being incidental.

About 4,000 gallons of oil and 1,000 bushels of sand were required on the mile which furnishes the test. The oil cost 62 cents per barrel. The road had been reconstructed two years ago and is a type of the fifty-two miles around Lexington which the Home Construction company is reconstructing. If the county finds it advisable to oil all of the reconstructed pike the goal of perfection will have been closely approached. On the basis of a mile the cost of oiling the Newtown pike, exclusive of machinery, was \$244.

DRAINAGE OF ROADS.

A Few Simple Principles to Follow to Get Good Results.

Water is the most destructive agent to a road, and yet if a few simple principles are followed it can be easily dealt with, says W. O. Eldridge, assistant director of the bureau of public road inquiries. Earth is more susceptible to the action of water and more easily dissolved and moved by it than any other road material, and for this reason too much attention can hardly be given to the drainage of roads. Drainage alone will often change a bad road into a good one, while, on the other hand, the best road may quickly go to ruin for lack of drainage.

Most country roads are too flat on top to shed water. Indeed a great many of them are not only flat, but concave, the center being the lowest part. In other words, their crowns are inverted. The sides of the roads are often square shoulders which obstruct the water in its passage to the side drains, and as a result the water lies on the surface until it is absorbed by the material or evaporated by the sun. It is often allowed to stand in the traveled way until the material softens and yields to the impact of the horses' feet and the action of the wheels of the vehicles. The holes and ruts rapidly increase in number and size; wagon after wagon stays deeper and deeper until the road becomes utterly bad.

The importance of drainage has been emphasized in the statement that the "three prime essentials to good roads are, first, drainage; second, better drainage; third, the best drainage possible." On open or pervious soils surface drainage in connection with heavy rolling is usually quite satisfactory provided the slope is good and the traffic is not too heavy, but for the close, impervious, alluvial and clayey soils subdrainage is sometimes necessary. With heavy traffic, narrow tires and long continued rains, freezes and thaws the surface of any dirt road is liable to be completely destroyed, and in this case the only remedy is a consolidated mass or crust of gravel or broken stone, forming a roof to keep out and carry off the water. This, of course, constitutes "the best drainage possible."

A Good Investment.

Gallia county, O., issued bonds several years ago for macadamizing the county roads. Since then 153 miles of splendid road have been built at a cost of \$385,000, and bonds were issued to that amount. According to the published statement of the auditor of the county, the increase in taxation on account of these bonds was only 25 cents on \$100 valuation. The farmers consider it the best investment that the county has ever made, as they are enabled to get to market at any season of the year and can haul very heavy loads with ease. Before the roads were improved, during winter seasons it was almost impossible to haul half a load over them.

ROAD IMPROVEMENT.

HOW GOOD HIGHWAYS MAY BE BUILT AT SMALL EXPENSE.

The Use of Labor Saving Machinery Greatly Reduces the Cost - New York Town Building Macadam Roads at \$1,000 Per Mile.

The first step in the direction of good roads is agitation; not the kind of agitation that bubbles up and sputters for a few weeks out of the fifty-two, like a lump with poor oil and a short wick, but the kind that keeps everlastingly at it and eventually leads to success, says a writer in Good Roads Magazine. Agitation is the first step, but it is not, as many seem to think, the last. It is all right to set us thinking, but if it does not set us to doing it will have failed of its purpose.

In this practical world something cannot be had for nothing. A good road is like a good horse or a good farm—it costs something. But there is no reason why a few miles of good roads should cost a fabulous sum. The kind of roads that will here be suggested are not fancy roads. They do not cost from \$5,000 to \$10,000 a mile, and under ordinary circumstances it should not be necessary to raise the taxes to obtain them. But the objection may be raised that in most towns and townships there is no money at all to spare for permanent road construction; that every dollar of tax raised is needed for the necessary repairs to roads and bridges. To answer this objection it may be stated that usually there is a wide difference between the amount that is spent for road repairs and what it is absolutely necessary to spend. If twice as much tax were raised it would not be a difficult matter in most communities to find a place for it, whereas if only half the regular amount were raised the roads would probably be no worse than they now are.

In order to bring this argument down to a working basis let us assume that the tax available for road purposes in a certain town amounts to \$5,000 per annum. We will suppose that by practicing rigid economy but one-half of this amount is expended for the ordinary repairs to roads and bridges, thus leaving \$2,500 for permanent work. We have now solved a part of the problem, and, having some money, the next question is how it shall be used. Experience has shown that improved road machinery is the very beginning of practical road work and that it is not economy to attempt to get along without first class road building appliances.

No town has money to waste in road building, but a large majority of the towns throughout the east have plenty of good material that can be used for the asking, and with an outfit of modern machinery this material can easily be converted into a roof or covering for the dirt roads. The very first step, therefore, after the money question has been settled is the purchase of a portable crushing outfit and a road roller. If an engine can be hired at a reasonable figure to drive the rock crusher, so much the better; if not, a good engine should be purchased.

What man has done man can do again, and experience has shown that good roads can be built by farmers at an expense so small as to make it inexcusable for any community to longer delay the work of permanent road building. In the town of Canandaigua, Ontario county, N. Y., several miles of stone roads are being built each year at a cost of from \$1,000 to \$1,200 per mile. This work has been in progress for over ten years, with the result that the town is now gridironed with good hard roads, and the farmers of that section no longer dread the terrors of winter. The town owns a portable crusher and a steam road roller, the latter being used for the double purpose of driving the crusher and rolling the roads. The crusher is moved from place to place, and old stone walls, field stones and quarry stone are utilized in the work of highway improvement. The macadam is laid to a width of twelve feet and a depth of eight inches, and a dirt track is left on one side of the road. This would seem to be an excellent type of a country road, as for all ordinary purposes a dirt track is preferable in dry weather to one of stone, while in wet weather the stone road can be used to the exclusion of the dirt track. If a town has \$2,500 available for permanent work it can easily build after the proper machinery has been purchased two miles of such macadam roads each year.

To many the foregoing suggestions may sound like the idle vapors of an enthusiast who knows nothing of the difficulties to be surmounted or of the practical nature of the work. However, this may be, there is not a man but must admit that if good roads are ever to be an accomplished fact in any community it is necessary to make a start, and if this beginning is not made the mud roads of our grandfathers must continue to be our portion. We can sit down, fold our arms and acknowledge that we are cowed and beaten by a simple mixture of mud and water or we can by united and intelligent effort face this arch enemy of American agriculture and fight it out to the last ditch, using a rock crusher as a sledge gun and broken stone as ammunition, feeling confident when these are backed by American pluck, perseverance and brains there can be but one result—victory.

Good Roads and Rural Delivery.

The intimate relation which exists between good country roads and rural free delivery of mail cannot be too strongly emphasized. Communities which would enjoy the latter must make and maintain the former. In many instances bad roads have prevented the extension of rural free delivery to communities where it was greatly desired.

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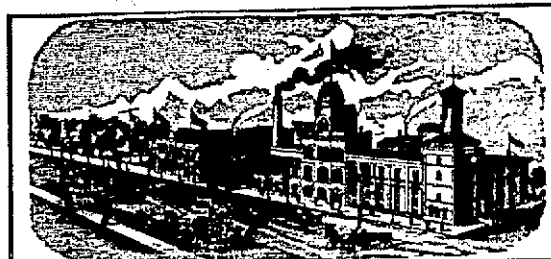
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For home reference call on or address **Mrs. J. F. DeLap Box 527 Grand Rapids**

RUDOLPH.

Oliver Akoy last week sold to Marcello Stoddard of Columbia, 80 acres of land. Mr. Stoddard will be remembered as the man that purchased the Dudley farm last fall. He expects to move his family here before long.

Wm. Hamm has been appointed mail carrier on rural route No. 2 through this town from Grand Rapids his brother, Albert, has been appointed as his substitute. He expects to begin work April 1st.

A number of friends of Mrs. Marie Kugel surprised her at the home of Oliver Akoy last Wednesday. All report a most enjoyable time.

Miss Mamie Livernash returned from Elton on Friday night, where she has been employed the past four months.

Miss Martha Daly and Charlie Pusano of Grand Rapids were the guests of Miss Frances Slattery Sunday.

Miss Elizabeth Mojenski has been appointed as organist at the Polish Catholic church at Grand Rapids.

Geo. Cooper returned last week from the woods where he has been employed the past winter.

Mrs. Louis Livernash of Star Lake was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Fox last week.

Miss Della Lyonnias returned Monday from a two months visit with her sisters at Green Bay.

Frank Roudau of Mosinee was a guest at the Conthart home a few days the past week.

Don't forget the farmers meeting to be held March 4th. All are invited to attend.

J. H. Woyers left for Holland Town on Friday to attend the funeral of an uncle.

Benny Benson took in Gorton's Minstrel show at Grand Rapids last Saturday night.

Pub. Case who is on the sick list is some what better at the present time.

Leonard Reinhardt of Wausau has been spending a few days at home.

Nora Whitman of Wausau is home on a short visit.

Tragedy Averted.

"Just in the nick of time our little boy was saved" writes Mrs. W. Watkins of Pleasant City, Ohio. "Pneumonia had played and havoc with him and a terrible cough set in besides. Doctors treated him, but he grew worse every day. At length we tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, and our darling was saved. He's now sound and well." Every body ought to know, it's the only sure cure for Coughs, Colds and all Lung diseases. Guaranteed by John E. Daly, Druggist. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

REMINGTON.

Mrs. Hines and daughter Maria departed for Nekoosa last Saturday. She was called there on account of the sickness of her grand daughter, Miss Seiger. She is very sick with pneumonia.

Vincent Karbowski, who has been employed by Mr. Lowe for the past six weeks sawing logs, was laid up for two days on account of illness. He returned to his work on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Lowe and son James and Miss Joise Huber, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Quethelmer at Finley.

J. Trachte of Richfield, who returned from Iowa on Thursday, spent the latter part of the week at the home of C. Lowe.

Miss Huber went to Grand Rapids on Friday to attend the teachers' meeting. She expects to return on Sunday.

Mr. John Karbowski went to Nekoosa on Monday where he has accepted a position in the paper mill.

Otto Barkowski is now employed by C. Meyer.

Cough Settled on Her Lungs

"My daughter had a terrible cough which settled on her lungs," says N. Jackson of Danville, Ill. "We tried a great many remedies without relief, until we gave her Foley's Honey and Tar which cured her." Refuse substitutes. Johnson & Hill Co.

ALTDORF.

Little Rosie, the three year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adain Kaudert put a kernel of corn up into her nose one day last week. The child was taken to a physician who soon extracted it, and nothing serious resulted.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Leonard and son Earl were at Grand Rapids on Saturday.

Mrs. Jos. Schiller of Granmoor attended church here Sunday.

The youngest child of Levi Card is reported to be seriously ill.

Mrs. Frank Wipfli was shopping at Grand Rapids Friday.

Geo. Conklin is kept in by an attack of the grip.

Pneumonia follows a cold but never follows the use of Foley's Honey and Tar. It stops the cough, heals and strengthens the lungs and affords perfect security from an attack of pneumonia. Refuse substitutes. Johnson & Hill Co.

DEXTERVILLE.

Sam Baum, one of Pittsville's leading merchants, sent four loads of groceries and dry goods, to our town one day last week, to be delivered to his numerous customers of this place. Why doesn't the home merchant sell his goods at the right price and save Mr. Baum the trouble of coming away off down here with goods, it is quite a drive for him, but as Sam is a good natured fellow he doesn't mind it.

Mrs. A. E. Keenan recently returned from Chicago at which place she has been getting the leading styles in millinery while there she had the advantage of getting the styles of the best products of the principal Foreign Markets also the newest creations of Domestic Manufacturers, therefore enabling her to turn out the very latest ideas in a chapeau.

La grippe coughs yield quickly to the wonderful curative qualities of Foley's Honey and Tar. There is nothing else "just as good." Johnson & Hill.

Lon Clute had the misfortune of losing his house and contents, by fire last Wednesday. It was located about a mile and a half from town.

Rumor has it that Frank Downing will move his store to Park Falls, Wis., at which place he will run a store exclusively.

Mrs. Ella Hiles and Mrs. Winegartner drove to Pittsville to do some shopping last Friday afternoon.

Mr. McMillen of Neillsville, has been registered at the Hotel De Bullis, for a the past two weeks.

Quite a crowd of the young people of this place attended a show at Pittsville last Friday evening.

Mrs. Ross of Stevens Point was a guest of Mrs. Ella Hiles the greater part of last week.

Dr. A. F. Hahn of Eau Claire was inspecting his interests at this place last Monday.

Mrs. Geo. Ward and daughter, Deloris, spent last Sunday in Babcock with her husband.

Mrs. Boyington and son of Pittsville were guests of Mrs. Ella Hiles last Sunday.

Ed. Rose can now be found at the Miller farm he moved over last Thursday.

James K. P. Hiles and wife returned from Chicago last Sunday morning.

L. E. Miller and daughter, Mrs. Rose, were trading in Pittsville last Wednesday.

Gus Yonke and daughter, Lizzie, were trading in your city fore part of the week.

Mrs. Mary Bronson was shopping in Pittsville, last Wednesday.

Miss Grace Miller of Millston is visiting at the Downing home.

Geo. Hiles sold one of his last horses last Saturday.

Henry Peterson is a full fledged Millstone daunt.

W. M. Dowling is visiting at Winona.

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KELLNER.

The Merry Comedy Co. was a very merry affair. What the show lacked was made up by the generosity and good will of the actors. A small but merry crowd stayed after the show for the dance. Every body present had a fine time as the music was good.

It was supposed at least six years ago that there was no timber left here but any one can see as ulco logs as ever at our mill here. There will be somewhere in the neighborhood of 200,000 out here this winter.

If troubled with weak digestion, belching or sour stomach, use Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and you will get quick relief. Otto's Pharmacy.

Leonie Witt was seriously ill a few days last week. Dr. Looze was in attendance. He is greatly improved at this writing.

The potato market is a little stronger prices today (Monday) being from 67 to 85 cents per bushel.

Fred Hanneuman and Henry Pribbanow were in Wausau on business a couple of days last week.

One of the sons of Wm. Zuege was ill last week with stomach trouble.

W. J. Granger took in lodge in your city last Thursday evening.

Robert Hanneuman spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Stratford.

Geo. Newman is again at work for M. O. Kroggoss.

Dangers of Pneumonia.

A cold at this time if neglected is liable to cause pneumonia which is so often fatal, and even when the patient has recovered the lungs are weakened, making them peculiarly susceptible to the development of consumption. Foley's Honey and Tar will stop the cough heal and strengthen the lungs and prevent pneumonia. Johnson & Hill Co.

SIGEL.

Frank Brostowitz has been operating his portable sawmill on section 26 for some time past, and those who have patronized him state that he is turning out a first class quality of lumber. One drawback that has been encountered in the work is the fact that water is very scarce, and it has been necessary to haul it from Hemlock creek, a distance of a half a mile. While this has necessarily delayed the work somewhat, still it has progressed steadily whenever the weather would permit. A number of logs have been piled near the mill by farmers in this vicinity and there will be quite a bit of work for the mill even after the cutting season is over. More logs are coming in every day and at times it is surprising where all the timber comes from.

Joe Passoly and brother John of Biron left today by team for Rozellville where they will visit their uncle, Mr. Michaels for few days. They went by the way of Marshfield.

Henry Knuth expects to leave in a few weeks for Montana to look over the country.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Haback on Friday, Feb. 26th.

Things Rural Patrons should Know

Rural carriers are required to take with them on their trips, for the accommodation of their patrons, a supply of stamps, stamped envelopes, postal cards and newspaper wrappers.

The carrier is empowered to register letters and packages and to deliver the same, giving and taking receipts for same on forms provided for that purpose.

He is also authorized to accept money for money orders, giving receipts therefor, and if patrons of delivery desire to make him their agent for the purpose he may inclose the orders when issued in addressed envelopes confined to his care and mail them without returning them to the sender.

The patrons are expected to meet the depot half way by affording carriers every facility for the performance of their duties by keeping the roads open and to keep them in good repair at all seasons of the year.

Rural mail boxes must be fastened to a post at such height from the ground as to be easily opened and inspected by the carrier without alighting from his conveyance.

Rural carriers are not required to deliver mail to houses standing back from the main road except in cases of registered mail, special delivery and pension letters, provided addresses reside one mile or less from the main line of travel.

Rural carriers must not act as agents for express companies, corporations or firms, but the law provides that the carriers shall not be prohibited from doing an express package business, provided it does not interfere with the discharge of his official duties.

Carriers may act as agents for newspaper publishers on their own account or accept and collect subscriptions for the same.

Painless Dentists Coming.

The Minneapolis painless dentist are coming and will be at Grand Rapids at the Hotel Witter Friday, March eleventh (11) one day only. We have a new anesthetic for the painless extracting and filling of teeth, and positively guarantee to remove them without pain, or make no charge and without any ill effects to the weakest constitution, or invalids.

To prove that we do as we advertise, we will extract teeth, free of charge, from 9 to 10 a. m. and 1 to 2 p. m.

Why She Gave Up Her Job.

A West Philadelphia girl who recently started to teach a Sunday school class has given it up as a bad job. "I am not built that way," she said in explaining to several friends why she had thrown up the sponge and retired from the ring. "It's all due to my temper, which is by no means angelic, and it requires an angelic disposition to lead a Sunday school class of small boys in the way they should go. There was one young imp named Paul, who was the limit. If I ever get to heaven and meet Paul, one or the other of us will have to quit. He had annoyed me from the first, but the end came that Sunday when the lesson was about turning your other cheek. If your enemy smites you. Just in what I thought was the most interesting part of the lesson and when I could almost smell the halo singing my hair Master Paul surreptitiously pulled out all my hairpins, and down it came all about my shoulders. Forgetting all about the lesson, I turned and slapped him in the face. Then I threw up the job." Philadelphia Record.

NEIMAN'S

Have added a new stock of Shoes, Ladies' Gents' Misses' and Boys' REPAIRING A SPECIALTY.

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BABCOCK.

Word was received in our village on Wednesday evening of the death of Frank O'Leary at the home of his sister at Merrimac, Wisconsin. Frank was well and favorably known in this locality, he having clerked for M. F. Ward for some time and afterward firing on the Valley division of the St. Paul road. He won many friends while here and it cast a deep gloom over our little town when word was received that he was dead. His friends knew that his health was not of the best, but no one supposed the end so near.

The infant child of Chas. Porter has been very sick for the last week, with little hope for recovery, but at the present writing it seems a little better.

Mrs. Elliott died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ed Wales, on Friday night of old age. Her funeral was held from the Methodist church Monday.

L. Crandall is moving to Wausau, he being employed in the general office for the Valley division.

Little Helen O'Riley is quite sick with grip, which is quite prevalent in this locality.

Mrs. Jas. Griffith and Miss Maggie Sullivan were shopping in Grand Rapids on Monday.

C. M. Tahbs, the genial merchant of Meadow Valley, was in our village on Monday.

Mrs. J. J. O'Riley and Mrs. J. M. Gleis were Grand Rapids visitors on Saturday.

Mrs. Jennie Swartz of La Crosse spent Sunday with her parents in the village.

Miss Nina Gillette of Necedah spent Sunday the guest of Mrs. Chas. Porter.

Mrs. Irene Crotetan is visiting in Grand Rapids for the last week.

Mr. and Mrs. V. Wales of your city spent Sunday in our village.

Mrs. W. J. Sullivan is on the sick list.

This spring you will need a nerve food, one that will cleanse and reconstruct your nerve centers and waste energies. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will do it. 35 cents. Tea or tablets. Johnson & Hill Co.

For Sale—A house and lot. House is ready for occupancy and will be sold cheap if taken soon. Located on the east side. Inquire of Mrs. F. P. Daly or J. J. Jeffrey.

Gather the roses of health for your cheeks. While the parks are shining with dew. Get out in the morning early and bright. By taking Rocky Mountain Tea at night. Johnson & Hill.

Want Telephone Connections.

There will be a meeting held of the farmers and others in the town of Rudolph on Friday for the purpose of discussing the feasibility of building a telephone line to that place and connecting those who care to with the local exchange. There are a number of the residents out Rudolph way who are very anxious to have telephone connections with this city, and have so expressed themselves on numerous occasions. The trouble has been in the past that there has been nobody to take hold of the matter and push it to an issue, which is probably the reason that the line has not been built before this.

There are about thirty persons out that way who have expressed themselves as willing to go into the matter by taking a telephone and putting in enough money to build their share of the line, and if this many were secured it would make quite a respectable showing out that way and at the same time supply the town pretty well with telephones.

It has not been decided as yet just how the matter will be handled in order to give satisfaction and at the same time give a good service. It is probable, however, that two or three metallic circuits will be put in with about one third of the subscribers on each line, as this would probably give the sort of service that is desired. Charles Dougherty of this city will meet with the farmers on Friday, and as he is an expert electrician he can probably give them all the information and advice necessary so that the matter can be brought to a focus.

Marshfield News: During the automobile show in Chicago recently J. C. Marsh and Lang & Schermann of this city and A. A. Graves of Loyol, each ordered an Oldsmobile touring car costing \$950. They are identical alike, handsome in appearance, with two seats, carrying four persons comfortably. The autos will be received here about April 15th. The machines are eight horse power, with tanks holding six gallons of gasoline, capable of carrying four passengers over fair roads for a distance of 100 miles at the maximum rate of 25 miles an hour. The firm of Lang & Schermann has taken the agency for these machines and already several parties have started an investigation of their merits with a view to purchasing.

Reconstructs your whole body, makes rich red blood. Drives out impurities that have collected during the winter. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is a family tonic. 35 cents. Tea or tablets. Johnson & Hill Co.

A Severe Cold for Three Months.

The following letter from A. J. Nussbaum, of Batesville, Ind., tells its own story: "I suffered for three months with a severe cold. A druggist prepared me some medicine, and a physician prescribed for me, yet I did not improve. I then tried Foley's Honey and Tar, and eight doses cured me." Refuse substitutes. Johnson & Hill Co.

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MARKET REPORT.

Potatoes, bushel.....	\$.70
Wheat, No. 2, bushel.....	.45
Rye, bushel.....	.40
Oats, bushel.....	1.00
Corn, shelled, 100 lbs.....	6.00
Hay, marsh, 1 ton.....	11.00
Hay, clover, 1 ton.....	12.00
Beans, bushel.....	1.25
Peas, bushel.....	1.25
Onions, bushel.....	.75
Beef, live, 100 lbs.....	\$2.00 @ 3.50
Beef, dressed, 100 lbs.....	\$3.00 @ 3.00
Pork, live.....	4.50
Pork, dressed.....	6.00
Veal, live, 100 lbs.....	.84
Veal, dressed, 100 lbs.....	.87
Chickens, live, 100 lbs.....	49.00
Chickens, dressed, 100 lbs.....	52.00
Turkeys, live, 100 lbs.....	13.00
Turkeys, dressed, 100 lbs.....	13.00
Flour, patent, 100 lbs.....	5.50
Feed, 1 ton.....	23.50
Midlings, 1 ton.....	19.50
Brass, 1 ton.....	19.50
Boiled Corn Meal, 100 lbs.....	2.75
Lard, 100 lbs.....	.12
Whole Hams, 100 lbs.....	15.00
Meat Pork, 100 lbs.....	15.00

WANT COLUMN.

ADVERTISEMENTS will be published in this column at the rate of 5 cents per line, no taken for less than 10 cents. If you want to buy, sell or trade anything, try the want column.

FOR SALE—Forty building lots in first ward from \$75 to \$150. Also good ten room dwelling and lot 80x120. E. I. Phillips.

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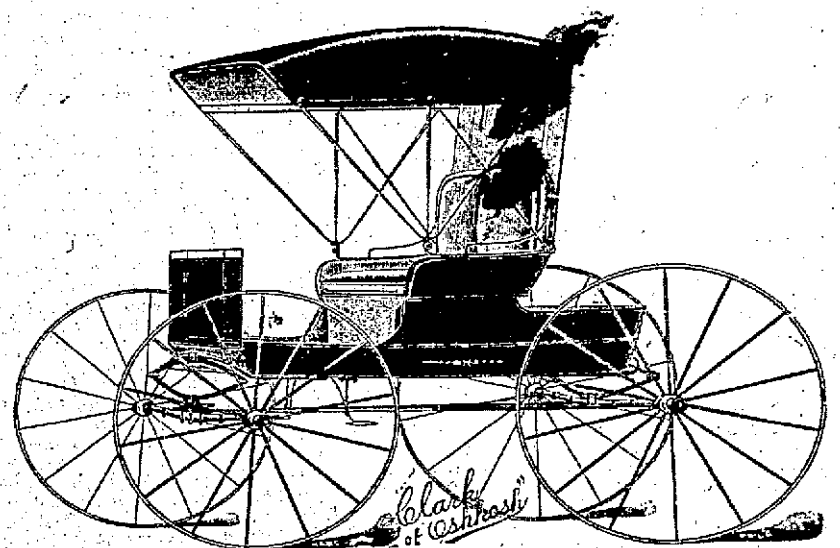
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